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That's the idea and who wants that? Those are affected by the law stay in or come out of that committee. Now, that's a poor way to represent people. And it's a damned good way to represent the establishment. And I think it's about time that members of this Body do what they think they ought to do at the time they do it because if you will, this will not be a bad government. But if you're afraid and most of us are and sometimes I am too but not all the time, you'll face up to these things. You'll take the responsibility and do what you do think ought to be done and not what somebody else has suggested you do. That's the fault of legislation. People are not represented in this Body, never have been and probably never will be. I'm talking about people. People who are never here, who don't understand what we're doing. They don't want to get involved. And when they send me down here from Scottsbluff, they say to me, Carpenter, represent us. And that's what they say to you. They don't say to be brainwashed by suggestion and by compatability and by other things that are prevalent here. And I don't want to stop any of those things but they want to exercise their own judgment. And my friends, what's going on now? The people of this country and this state and your legislative district are what? They're teed off. They don't trust you. And there's a consensus now that (indistinguishable) they're going to ready....maybe of every man or woman who holds a public office irrespective of party and I think it's a damned good idea. I'm frank enough to say it. And I'll be frank enough to say if I didn't have some good close friends, I'd go throughout this state and advocate they defeat any man or woman that runs for any office at the next election, including Carpenter.

PRESIDENT: The issue before the Body is to...I think the Chair would like to have you decide as whether you want to accept Senator Stahmer's amendment or not and that would be that if LB1052 is referred to a committee that it be referred to the Appropriations Committee. Now, that's the only issue before us at this time. I want to know...are you all through discussing that issue? Now, Senator Stahmer, are you through discussing it. If so and if nobody else wants to talk on it, Senator Clark, do you want to be heard on the issue? Fine then. Senator Stahmer is closing now on his amendment to the motion. Senator Stahmer is closing.

SENATOR STAHMER: Well, Mr. President, and members of the Body. I'm not going to lose any sleep where the bill goes. Number one. Number two, the Budget Committee will be through by next Monday. We have the assurance of the chairman and I think he's correct. We will be through. This bill will not be heard before next Monday. Number three, I'm not sure what Senator Carpenter said or what he meant and he came in here late and didn't hear the discussion but I'd like to point out to the members of the Body, if there's a committee in this Legislature is not stacked, it's the Budget Committee. We have representation east, west, north, south, liberal, conservative, communist plot, you name it, we've got it. I'm suggesting we send the bill there. Why? Because we discuss mental health, mental retardation, or both up on that campus. We have on our staff the man who recommends buildings, where they should be, where they shouldn't be. I made the simple stupid mistake of suggesting that it go to a committee where it made sense. I don't give a damn personally where you send the damn bill but when I hear somebody get up and say, by God, we've got stacked committee and we shouldn't do this and we shouldn't do that, say something to me in LB650. Fight to send the bill where it won't be